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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I believe in a TRULY free marketplace, where EVERYBODY has the right to compete! I support and ask for your suport as well in broadband competition, I live in a rural community with limited options and office out of my home. Without the support and local investment from my neighborhood internet provider I would still be dealing with lag times and DSL service. The opportunity the local provider invested in to bring our community up-to-speed is priceless. National providers should have to compete on the same playing field... please support a NO vote to price hikes!!!

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